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Applicants respectfully submit this Information Disclosure Statement pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98 in order to comply with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56. These references are listed on the attached modified PTO Form No. 1449.

The references cited herein were cited in the European Search Report for corresponding European application number 01922745.3 mailed March 10, 2006. A copy of the listed references are also enclosed for the convenience of the Examiner.

The above papers are being submitted within three (3) months of receipt of the Search Report. Accordingly, each item of information contained in this information disclosure statement was

cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more

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Applicants respectfully request that the information be expressly considered during the

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